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A few years ago "August Flower" was discovered to be a certain cure for Dyspepsia and Liver complaint, a few thin Dyspeptics made known to their friends how easily and quickly they had been cured by its use. The great merits of GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER became heralded through the country by one sufferer to another, until, without advertising, its sale has become immense. Druggists in EVERY TOWN in the United States are selling it. No person suffering with Sour Stomach, Sick Headache, Costiveness, palpitation of the Heart, indigestion, low spirits, etc., can take three doses without relief. Go to your Druggist .....and get a bottle for 75 cents and try it—Sample bottles 10 cents.

"It's Only a Cough"

has brought many to untimely graves. What is a Cough? The lungs or bronchial tubes have been attacked by a cold; nature sounds an alarm bell, telling where the disease lies. Wisdom suggests "try WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY;" It has cured, during the last half of a century, thousands upon thousands of persons. As long as you cough, there is danger, for the cough is a Safety Valve. Use "WISTAR" and be cured. Sold by all druggists.

From a Physician.

HYDE PARK, Vt. Feb. 8, 1876.
MESSRS. SETH W. FOWLE & SONS, Boston.

Gents—You may perhaps remember that I wrote you several weeks ago in regard to the use of the PERUVIAN SYRUP for my wife, who was suffering from a general debility, the sequence of Typhoid Dysentery. I had tried the most noted physicians in this state, and also in Canada, without relief. At your recommendation she commenced the use of the Syrup; the first four bottles made but little impression, but while taking the fifth she began to improve rapidly, and now, after using six of the dollar bottles, she has regained her strength, and is able to do most of the work about the house; and I feel that I cannot speak too highly in praise of the PERUVIAN SYRUP. I have prescribed it to several of my patients, and have procured the sale of several dozen of it here. You can make any use of this letter you see fit. Yours very truly, H. D. BELDEN, M. D.

DR. JAMES

Has removed to Broughton street opposite the City Chambers. Philip James, M. D., Extracts Polypus and Cancer without the use of the knife when taken in time. **Rheumatism cured in one hour without pain.** He is now using the *Electric Magnetic Machine* with good effect in many diseases of Rheumatic, Palsy or Paralysis and Fits.

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GUIDE TO THE PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.—This is the title of a neatly bound 8vo. volume, containing 412 pages of condensed information. The index in itself recommends it as an interesting book for perusal, both at home and abroad. The sweeping field of its local information leaves scarcely a topic of any interest unnoticed.

Aside from the Directories of all the different towns and districts throughout the Island and Mainland, the work compiles from the most intelligent sources all the industries, mineral wealth, and other natural resources, including the educational, political and religious status, etc., etc. This book will be invaluable to intending immigrants and everyone whose interests are identified with the Province, and will meet a want which has never before its issue been supplied.

The publishers sincerely thank those gentlemen who have so kindly aided them with their valuable contributions.

*** 1mo T. N. HIBBEN, & Co.

THE arrival of the Amelia Ross and Prince Rupert adds the largest stock of Pianos, Harmoniums, Organs and musical novelties to Messrs. Bagnall & Co.'s establishment ever imported. Amongst the celebrated makers on view are Alexander & Son's Hand, Broadwood & Son, Boosey & Co., Collard & Collard, Chrisopher & Etienne, Debain, Ivory & Co., Peloubet, Pollen & Co., Thibouville and others. Instruments at all prices and on easy terms.—MESSRS. BAGNALL & Co., 19, Fort Street, Victoria, B. C., Established 1863.

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A WONDERFUL DISCOVERY.—The highest cash price will be paid for Ladies', Gentlemen's and Children's wearing apparel at Haggerty's Store on Dufferin street. Parties desirous of discontinuing housekeeping can meet a cash buyer for all household effects by applying at the above address.

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DENTISTRY.—Dr. Cool calls attention to the beautiful alluminium-lined vulcanite plates for upper and lower sets. The advantage of this work is that it is very thin, much stronger and lighter than the common plate usually worn; also, being a better conductor of heat and cold, it does not produce the irritation, something caused by rubber or nonconducting substances. I make these sets for $35, something never done before, and guarantee my patrons that after once wearing one of them they will wear no other. The treatment of diseased teeth and fine operating I make a specialty. Teeth built up with pure gold to their natural contour; artificial crowns adjusted to roots in the best manner. Work of every description done anywhere I engage to do at the most reasonable prices. *

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Miscellaneous.

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At Their Wharves,

DEPARTURE BAY

AS HERETOFORE.

DUNSMUIR, DIGGLE & CO'Y.

DEPARTURE BAY, 7th June, 1877.
je9w

FREDERICK REYNOLDS

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BUTCHER,

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

Meats and Vegetables,

PURVEYOR BY APPOINTMENT TO HER MAJESTY ROYAL NAVY.

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Leaves Victoria for Esquimalt at 8 and 11½ a. m. and 4½ p.m.

Leaves Esquimalt for Victoria at 9½ a. m. and 1½ and 5½ p.m.

Fare, 25 Cents.

Parcels left at W. J. Jeffree's clothing store will be promptly delivered.

mh27 JOHN POLTER, Proprietor.

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Groceries, Dry Goods,

Boots and Shoes, Clothing, Hats and Caps

HAS REMOVED

To Johnson street, one door East of Eastman's Butcher Shop.

Manufactures Brawers, Undershirts, Overalls, etc., which he offers for sale by Wholesale and Retail, at Low Rates. o11

REMOVAL.

DR. DAVIE

HAS REMOVED HIS OFFICE TO OPposite the back of Theatre Royal. ap10

Notices.

PROCLAMATION.

[L.S.] A. N. RICHARDS.

CANADA.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

TO Our faithful the Members elected to serve in the Legislative Assembly of Our Province, of British Columbia, and summoned and called to a meeting of the Legislature or Parliament of Our said Province, at our City of Victoria, on Thursday, the Twentieth day of June instant, to have been commenced and held, and every of you—GREETING.

A PROCLAMATION.

A. C. ELLIOTT, Attorney-General. } WHEREAS the meeting of the Legislature or Parliament of the Province of British Columbia, stands called for Thursday, the Twentieth day of June instant, at which time, at Our City of Victoria, you were held and constrained to appear.

NOW KNOW YE that for divers causes and considerations, and taking into consideration the ease and convenience of Our loving subjects, we have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Executive Council of the Province of British Columbia, to relieve you, and each of you, of your attendance at the time aforesaid; hereby convoking, and by these presents enjoining you, and each of you, that on Thursday, the Twenty-third day of August next, you meet Us in Our Legislature or Parliament of the said Province, at our City of Victoria, and therein do as may seem necessary. Herein fail not.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Public Seal of the said Province to be hereunto affixed. Witness the Honorable ALBERT NORTON RICHARDS Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this ninth day of June in the Year of Our Lord one thousand, eight hundred and seventy-seven, and in the fortieth year of Our Reign.

By Command,
CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Registrar Supreme Court. je10

Notice to Claimants of Land.

New Westminster District.

TOWNSHIP No. 13.

NOTICE is hereby given, in accordance with the provisions of the "Land Act, 1875," that the following lands situate in Township No. 13, New Westminster District, have been subdivided by survey, and the map thereof deposited in the office of the Government Agent at New Westminster, viz:—

Sections 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33.

And that claimants of any portion of this land who have not obtained Crown Grants thereof should prove up their claims in accordance with the provisions of the "Land Act, 1875."

Forms of proof and declaration can be obtained at the Office of the Government Agent, New Westminster.

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.

Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, May 19th, 1877. my26

"Land Registry Ordinance, 1870."

VICTORIA TOWN LOTS Nos. 1617, 1618, 1619, 1621, 1624 and 1625.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN PURsuance of the "Land Registry Ordinance, 1870," that I shall issue a duplicate Certificate of Title (in lieu of the original, alleged to have been lost or destroyed,) in the name of Alfred John Langley, Esq., to an undivided half part of those pieces of land situate in the City of Victoria and known as Victoria Town Lots Nos. 1617, 1618, 1619, 1621, 1624 and 1625, unless cause be shown to the contrary within one calendar month from the date hereof.

H. B. W. AIKMAN,
Registrar General.

Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 29th June, 1877. je30

Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1876.

New Westminster and New Westminster City Electoral Districts.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of sub-section f of Section 7 of the "Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1876," I shall, on Monday the 6th August next, hold a Court of Revision for the purpose of hearing and determining any or all objections against the retention of any names on the Register of Voters of the above Districts, excepting the Burrard Inlet Polling Division of New Westminster District.

Such Court will be open at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Court House, New Westminster.

EDWARD DICKINSON, Collector.

1st June, 1877. je8

NOTICE.

A COURT of General Assize and Gaol Delivery and of Nisi Prius, will be held at each of the undermentioned places at 11 o'clock in the forenoon on the following days, and all witnesses are hereby notified to attend thereat.

Richfield.....	Monday,	10th	September
Quesnellemouth.....	Saturday,	15th	"
Clinton.....	Monday,	24th	"
Kamloops.....	Saturday,	29th	"
Lytton.....	Friday,	5th	October
Yale.....	Monday,	8th	"
New Westminster....	Wednesday,	10th	"

By Command,
T. ELWYN,
Acting Deputy Provincial Secretary.

Dated 23rd July, 1877. jy29

Esquimalt District.

PUBLIC HIGHWAY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the following highway, sixty-six feet (66) in width, is hereby established in Metchosin District, commencing at the North West corner of section 60; thence in a Southerly direction on Section lines between Sections 57 and 60, 52 and 55, 53 and 54, a distance of 43 chains; then S. 86 E., 675 links; thence S. 69 E., 600 links, to the seashore opposite Bentinck Island, including 33 feet on each side thereof.

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.

Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, July 7, 1877. jy8

PARSON'S BRIDGE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE foundations of Parson's Bridge, Esquimalt District, are INSECURE, and the public are hereby cautioned not to drive over the said structure at a pace greater than a walk.

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.

Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, 28th June, 1877. je30

SCHOOL TAX, 1877.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE School Tax for the year 1877 is due and payable to the undersigned on and after the 1st July proximo. All male residents of 18 years and upwards are required to pay the said Tax under the provisions of "School Tax Act, 1876."

e30 J. E. McMILLAN, Collector.

BILL POSTING.

MR. WELTON, JANITOR OF THEATRE Royal, will attend to posting and distributing bills of every description in Victoria and vicinity. Orders may be left at THE COLONIST Office. de2

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL only accept Coin for Rent, as well as for other Payments to be made to me.

de30 LD. LOWENBERG.

Ships and Steamers.

FOR CASSIAR & SITKA MINES

Carrying the Northern Mails.

THE WELL-KNOWN FAST AND favorite steamship

CALIFORNIA,

CAPTAIN THORN,

Connecting at Wrangel with the Stickeen River Steamer Beaver for Cassiar.

Having Superior Accommodations for Passengers, will leave Victoria for Wrangel and Sitka on or about

Saturday, August 4th.

For Freight or Passage apply to
J. P. GOODHUE, Agent,
Je12 Office at P. McQuade & Son's.

TO SHIPPERS AND IMPORTERS.

THE FAVORITE BARK

"HENRY BUCK,"

Will leave San Francisco for Victoria on or about the First of August.

Importers will find this a first rate chance to have their freight forwarded.

For further information apply to
A. PACKSCHER,
jy10 421 Sacramento St. San Francisco.

For London Direct.

THE A 1 CLIPPER BARQUE

PRINCE RUPERT,

MAIN, Commander.

Will load at the Hudson Bay Co's wharf for London direct, and has room for a limited quantity of measurement freight.

For particulars as to Freight apply to
FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE.
Wharf St., 16th July, 1877. jy17 2w

ALLAN LINE

ROYAL MAIL STEAMSHIPS,

From Quebec to Liverpool, Glasgow and Londonderry, Sailing Every Saturday.

Cabin, $70; Steerage, $25; Return Tickets at Reduced Rates.

PERSONS WISHING TO SEND FOR THEIR friends from England, Ireland or Scotland can purchase Tickets good for one year at Lowest Rates.

GARESCHE, GREEN & CO.,
Agents, Victoria.
jy5 Office, Wells, Fargo & Co

For Liverpool Direct.

THE FIRST-CLASS AMERICAN SHIP

CULTIVATOR,

1590 tons, now loading at Burrard Inlet, has room specially made and ventilated for Salmon and Light Freight.

Also—Good Accommodation for Passengers

For particulars apply to the undersigned at Burrard Inlet or Victoria.

J. A. RAYMUR.
Victoria, B.C., 23d June, 1877. je23

Bark Prince Rupert, from London.

NEITHER CAPTAIN MAIN NOR THE Hudson's Bay Company will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel. For the Hudson Bay Co.

my30 WM. CHARLES.

OPPOSITION.

THE STEAMER

Glenora

Will leave New Westminster for Yale and Way Ports on April 14th, and will make Regular Trips, leaving New Westminster Wednesday and Saturday; and Yale on Monday and Friday.

For Freight or Passage apply to
GEO. ODIN, Captain.
Victoria, March 22, 1877. mh26

NOTICE.

McALLISTER BROS.

BEG TO INFORM OWNERS & Masters of Ships that the

POWERFUL STEAM-TUG

"Alexander"

Will be ready on or about the 15th May

To Tow Ships entering the Straits of Juan de Fuca, to and from any Port in British Columbia.

Ship masters will find it to their advantage to secure this Boat, as she is one of the most powerful vessels of the kind afloat, as well as having Double Disconnecting Engines, which is a guarantee of safety to ships in tow of her.

For terms apply on board at DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO'S Wharf.

Victoria, May 9th. my10

For Yale and Way Ports.

THE FAST AND FAVORITE steamer

ROYAL CITY,

CAPT. JOHN IRVING,

Carrying H. M. Mail & Barnard's Express,

Leaves New Westminster for Yale and Way Ports on Wednesday and Saturday, and returns from Yale to New Westminster on Monday and Friday.

For Freight or Passage enquire on board. my30

NOTICE.

THE STEAMER

VICTORIA

Will commence running

Between Soda Creek and Quesnelle

ON OR ABOUT MAY 10th.

ap4 A. S. BATES.

REMOVAL.

Mr. John Teague,

ARCHITECT,

Has removed his office to

Government Street, below Fort, opposite the Hook & Ladder House. oc15

Assessment Act, 1876.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Tax under the provisions of the Assessment Act, 1876, is past due, and all parties whose Taxes are unpaid are hereby required to call at the Collector's office Government street, and pay the same forthwith, otherwise the amounts so due will be collected with costs.

my8 J. E. McMILLAN, Collector.

COOLING BEVERAGES!

Soda Water from the Fountain,

Delicious Fruit Syrups.

LEMON KALI, PURE LIME JUICE, RASPberry Vinegar, Lime Juice Syrups.

Also—Portable Soda Water Fountains

For the instantaneous manufacture of Soda and other Mineral Waters and Sweet Drinks on sale at

je7 LANGLEY & CO.'S, Yates St.

Notices.

Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1876.

Burrard Inlet Polling Division of New Westminster Electoral District.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of sub-section f. of Section 7 of the "Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1876," I shall, on Monday the 6th August next, hold a Court of Revision for the purpose of hearing and determining any or all objections against the retention of any names on the Register of Voters.

Such Court will be opened at 12 o'clock, noon.

J. MILLER, Collector.
1st June, 1877. je3

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that in accordance with Section 7 of the "Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1876," I shall hold a Court of Revision at the Court House, Cowichan, on Monday the 6th day of August next ensuing, to hear and determine any or all objections against the retention of any name or names on the Register of Voters.

Such Court to be open at 12 o'clock, noon, of that day.

JOHN MORLEY,
Collector.
Maple Bay, 25th May, 1877. my29

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in accordance with Section 7 of the "Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1876," I shall hold a Court of Revision at the Court House, Cowichan, on Monday the 6th day of August next, ensuing, to hear and determine any or all objections against the retention of any name or names on the Register of Voters.

Such Court will be open at 12 o'clock, noon, of that day.

JOHN MORLEY, Collector.
Maple Bay, 25th May, 1877. je5

Public School Teachers' Examination.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Annual Teachers' Examination will be held in Victoria, commencing on Monday, 2nd July next, at 9 o'clock a. m.

All 3rd class and temporary certificated teachers, together with those holding 2nd class certificates awarded in July, 1874, who others wishing to qualify as teachers, are required to attend.

Candidates must notify the Superintendent of Education, at least a week previous, of his or her intention to undergo the examination, and accompany such notification with "satisfactory proof of good moral character."

By order of the Board.

JOHN JESSOP,
my13 Superintendent of Education.

Appointments.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
June 16th, 1877.

HIS EXCELLENCY the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments:—

ROBERT FRANKLIN JOHN, Esq., to be Assessor and Collector under the "Assessment Act, 1876," for the Electoral District of Esquimalt, vice J. POTTINGER, Esq., resigned.

ROBERT FRANKLIN JOHN, Esq., to be Collector under the "School Tax Act, 1876," for the Electoral District of Esquimalt, vice J. POTTINGER, Esq., resigned. je17

Assessment Act, 1876.

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT THE TAX under the provisions of the "Assessment Act, 1876," is past due, and all parties whose taxes are unpaid are hereby required to call at the Collector's office, Grave Creek, and pay the same forthwith, otherwise the amounts so due will be collected with costs.

EDWARD ALLEN, Collector.
Grave Creek House, June 7, 1877. je17

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

PRIVATE BILLS.

ALL APPLICATIONS FOR PRIVATE Bills, properly the subject of legislation by the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, within the purview of the "British North America Act, 1867," whether for the erection of a Bridge, the making of a Railroad, Turnpike Road, or Telegraph Line; the construction or improvement of a Harbor, Canal, Lock, Dam, or Slide, or other like work; the granting of a right of Ferry; the incorporation of any particular trade or calling, or of any Joint Stock Co; or otherwise for granting to any individual or individuals any exclusive or peculiar rights or privileges whatever, or for doing any matter or thing which in its operation would affect the rights or property of other parties, or relate to any particular class of the community; or for making any amendment of a like nature to any former Act,—shall require a Notice, clearly and distinctly specifying the nature and object of the application to be published as follows:—

A notice inserted in the BRITISH COLUMBIA GAZETTE and in one newspaper published in the District affected, or if there be no newspaper published therein, then in a newspaper in the next nearest District in which a newspaper is published.

Such notice shall be continued in each case for a period of at least six weeks, during the interval of time between the close of the next preceding Session and the consideration of the Petition.

Before any Petition, praying for leave to bring in a Private Bill for the erection of a Toll Bridge is presented to the House, the person or persons intending to petition for such Bill shall, upon giving the notice prescribed by the preceding rule, also at the same time and in the same manner, give notice of the rates which they intend to ask, the extent of the privilege, the height of the arches, the interval between the abutments or piers for the passage of rafts and vessels, and mentioning also whether they intend to erect a drawbridge or not, and the dimensions of the same.

J. ROLAND HETT,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.
House of Assembly, Victoria. my24

Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1876.

Victoria Electoral District.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of sub-section f. of Section 7 of the "Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1876," I shall, on Monday the 6th August next, hold a Court of Revision, for the purpose of hearing and determining any or all objections against the retention of any names on the Register of Voters.

Such Court will be open at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Royal Oak, Saanich Road.

SAMUEL ROBERTS, Collector.
30th May, 1877. je1

Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1876.

Cariboo Electoral District.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of sub section f. of Section 7 of the "Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1876," I shall, on Monday the 6th August next, hold a Court of Revision for the purpose of hearing and determining any or all objections against the retention of any names on the Register of Voters.

Such Court will be opened at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Court House, Richfield.

JNO. BOWRON, Collector.
1st June, 1877. e5

Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1876.

Kootenay Electoral District.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of sub section f. of Section 7 of the "Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1876," I shall, on Monday the 6th August next, hold a Court of Revision for the purpose of hearing and determining any or all objections against the retention of any names on the Register of Voters.

Such Court will be opened at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Court House, Wild Horse Creek.

C. BOOTH, Collector.
1st June, 1877. je3

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT I INtend to apply on the 23d July inst., to the Bench of Licensing Magistrates for a Retail Liquor License for premises situate at the corner of Store and Discovery streets, and named the "Cariboo House."

P. MANETTA.
Victoria, July 6th, 1877. jy7

Notices.

(Copy.)

AT a meeting of the Pilotage Authority for the Pilotage District of British Columbia, held at Victoria on the 14th day of April, A. D. 1877, the following amendments to the By-laws respecting Pilotage for the said District approved by His Excellency the Governor General in Council, on the 19th February, 1877, were adopted:

I. That the following two clauses be added to By-Law No. 11.

"That the limits for speaking vessels bound into Victoria and Esquimalt Harbors, shall be at or outside a line drawn from Clover Point (skirting Brotchy Ledge Buoy) to a point in Royal Bay, bearing W. by S. ½ S. and E. by N. ½ N."

"That the limits for speaking vessels bound into Nanaimo Harbour and Departure Bay, through Fairway Channel, shall be at or outside a line drawn from Rocky Point to the north end of Lighthouse Island bearing W. by N. ½ N. and through Middle Channel at or outside a line from the North end of Lighthouse Island to Horsewell Bluff bearing S. E. by E. ½ E. and a line drawn from Sharpe Point N. E. by E. ½ E. (magnetic) to Gabriola Island."

II. That the following be substituted for Clause A of By-Law No. 12:—

(A) "For vessels entering the Pilotage District of British Columbia through Fuca Straits, and coming to an anchor in Royal Roads, the pilotage shall be free. But when the services of a Pilot are required and employed, the rate of Pilotage shall not exceed $" [illegible] per foot according to the following graduated scale:—

	per foot.
Inside or N. of Race Rocks to Royal Bay....	75 cts.
From Beechy Head to Royal Bay.....	$1.00
" Callam Bay do	$2.00
" Cape Flattery do	$3.00

III. That the following be added to Clause C of By-Law No. 12:—

"In addition to the ordinary dues and irrespective of the provisions of Clause E."

IV. That the following be substituted for Clause 3 of By-Law No. 28:—

"For intoxication whether the same shall occur while in charge of a vessel, when required for duty or for habitual drunkenness."

V. That the following, as Clause F, be added to By-Law No. 12:—

"That steamers plying regularly, once a month or oftener, between the various ports of the United States and those of British Columbia, be included in Clause E, of section 12 of the new By-Laws, and that the same be appended to that section as soon as ratified at Ottawa, i.e. the maximum pilotage for those steamers to be $6 per foot on the inward and $6 per foot on the outward Draft, irrespective of their calling at Puget Sound on their regular trips or round voyages, but subject nevertheless to the latter part of Clause C."

(Signed,) W. R. CLARKE,
" JOHN DEVEREUX,
" COOTE M. CHAMBERS,
Commissioners.
EDGAR CROW BAKER,
Secretary.

PRIVY COUNCIL OFFICE,
Ottawa, 9th July, 1877.

I hereby certify that the foregoing amendments to By-Laws have been approved by His Honor the Deputy of the Governor General in Council, on the sixth day of July, 1877.

J. O. COTE,
jy31 Asst. Clerk P. C.

Notice to Claimants of Land

New Westminster District.

NOTICE is hereby given, in accordance with the provisions of the "Land Act, 1875," that the following land situate in New Westminster District has been surveyed and a map thereof has been deposited in the office of E. Dickinson, Esq., New Westminster, viz:—

TOWNSHIP, No. 4.
S. E. ¼, Section 35.

And that Claimants of any portion of this land should prove up their claims in accordance with the said Act.

F. GEO VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.

Lands & Works Department.
Victoria, July 6th, 1877. jy8

Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1876.

Yale Electoral District.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of sub section f. of Section 7 of the "Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1876," I shall, on Monday the 6th August next, hold a Court of Revision for the purpose of hearing and determining any or all objections against the retention of any names on the Register of Voters.

Such Court will be opened at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Court House, Yale.

WILLIAM TEAGUE, Collector.
1st June, 1877. je3

TO THE PUBLIC.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE PROPRIEtor of THEATRE ROYAL, we have this day examined that building, and pronounce the same to be perfectly safe for any number of people that may CROWD into it.

JOHN TEAGUE,
EDWARD MALLANDAINE,
THOS. TROUNCE,
Architects.
SMITH & CLARK,
D. F. ADAMS,
HAYWARD & JENKINSON
MUIRHEAD & MANN,
GEORGE BAKER,
P. D. FORBES,
Builders.

Victoria, Feb. 10th, 1876. fe20tf

Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1876.

Nanaimo Electoral District.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance sub-section f. of Section 7 of the "Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1876" I shall, on Monday the 6th August next, hold a Court of Revision, for the purpose of hearing and determining any or all objections against the retention of any names on the Register of Voters.

Such Court will be open at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Court House, Nanaimo.

T. L. FAWCETT, Collector.
1st June, 1877. je8

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Municipality of North Cowichan.

ALL OWNERS OF UNOCCUPIED OR UNimproved Lands within the Municipality of North Cowichan are hereby notified: That on the 14th day of October, 1876, a "Wild Land Tax Bylaw" passed the Municipal Council by which a Municipal Tax was imposed of five (5) cents per acre upon all such land within the Municipality, and that such tax became due on the 1st January, 1877. Copies of the Assessment Roll are posted at the Council Chambers and at the public wharf at Maple Bay; and all appeals must be made to the Warden and Council before 1st Sept. next. By order, HENRY FRY,
Clerk to the Municipal Council.

Dated at Maple Bay this 3rd day of July, 1877.
jy7

MILITARY COLLEGE, KINGSTON

SEMI-ANNUAL EXAMINATIONS FOR CANdidates desiring to be admitted as cadets to the Military College will be held at the Head Quarters of Military Districts in which such candidates reside, on the 3rd July and 18th December next, (1877.)

All necessary information may be obtained upon application to the Adjutant General at Ottawa, or to the Deputy Adjutants General of Military Districts. Applications for admission must be sent to the Adjutant General not less than one month before date of examination.

By Order,
W. POWELL, Colonel.
Adjutant-General.

HEAD QUARTERS,
Ottawa, 11th April, 1877. my1 1dw6m

Daily British Colonist.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, AUG 1st, 1877.

L. P. FISHER, 20 and 21 New Merchants' Exchange is our authorized Agent in San Francisco.

NOTICE.

For the accommodation of Subscribers and others, this office will be open from 10 o'clock to a quarter to 11 o'clock a. m. on Sunday.

ON THE UP GRADE.

British Columbia is a rich country. It contains within itself all the natural elements that contribute to make a nation great. If to-morrow she were cut off from communication with other countries; if all means of navigating the waters that lave her shores were destroyed; or if a blockade was maintained so vigorously that no goods could come in or go out—she could still live and flourish—could sustain herself for ages and grow rich on her isolation. This is no idle boast. All the prime necessaries of life either exist here already or can be raised without limit to their production. Coal, with iron, copper—in fact, all the economic minerals—are found in deposits inexhaustible. Vast forests of the best timber meet the eye in every direction. The fisheries, now in process of development, would feed a population of many millions. The agricultural capabilities, better understood every year, are extending with gratifying rapidity. The soil, once cleared, produces, without the aid of irrigation or artificial fertilizers, crops that astonish the agriculturalists of older countries. The climate is so delightful that life, unbearable in some latitudes, passes like a pleasant dream to the man who is blessed with a well-regulated liver and a contented mind. The beef and mutton raised in the Province cannot be beaten anywhere; and the wheat of the interior requires only the means of cheap transportation to drive every pound of foreign wheat out of the markets. A people possessing such boundless natural riches could not be starved out. They could feed, clothe and arm themselves from the products of the soil. Should they want linen, they would grow flax; leather, they would eat the beef and tan the hides; wool, they would raise sheep and shear them; machinery, mills and implements of all kinds, they would open the iron and copper mines; dwellings and ships, they would fell the forests; gold, they would strip the quartz veins or work the river bars and mint the ore.

Down to a year or two ago, we freely admit that the most had not been made of the natural wealth of the Province. We can look back to a time when the statement advanced through this journal that British Columbia should, and would within a very few years, raise all the cattle she might require for home consumption, was laughed at. Every steamer from the Mainland now brings a consignment of cattle for Victoria, which is almost entirely supplied with home-raised cattle and sheep. Has anyone taken the trouble to ascertain the value of the cattle and sheep imported here from 1858 to 1875? It will aggregate upwards of $4,500,000! Is not that an enormous sum to send away for articles that can be raised here? What have we sent off for flour and wheat and other farm products? Within a few hundred thousand dollars of the amount that was expended for meats. Our total expenditure in seventeen years in foreign countries for these articles was, as nearly as possible, $8,500,000, or more than a fifth of the gold product during the same period, which is officially stated at $40,000,000. Then consider how much has been and is being sent away to purchase woolen and linen goods, wooden and willow-ware, brooms, cheap grades of furniture, etc. Why, the Province actually exports wool and imports woolen goods; exports wood and imports wares and furniture made from its own exportation; imports linen, and flax is growing wild and in the greatest profusion in the Naas river country. Two within a few years hides were exported and brought back manufactured into boots and shoes. At the present time two well-found manufactories materially stop the drain and will do more in that direction as time rolls on. Not long ago the man who had prophesied that British Columbia would shortly grow all the fruit and vegetables she required would have been ridiculed as a visionary. Where in the wide world can finer home-grown fruit and vegetables be had than in Victoria at this moment? Then there is the dairy produce. We can remember the time when the small quantity of Island butter that came to the market was deemed too poor for the table. It was greasy, had cow-hairs, was streaky, bad colored and worse flavored. Now the grocer can sell scarcely any fresh butter except it is known to be of Island or Lower Fraser production. Cheese is still imported in large quantity; but it is hoped that two or three well-sustained efforts to establish cheese factories will be ultimately successful. Within a very few years British Columbia has become a large exporter of lumber, which in several countries fetches a higher price than lumber from the adjoining territory in Oregon, and Vancouver spars are preferred in Great Britain and France for war and mercantile shipping. The Province has become a large exporter of coal, and on the authority of Professor Goodyear possesses the most extensive and best measures on the Pacific Coast. Within a short time a new industry has sprung into existence. We allude to the canning of salmon, which now employs over 1200 men and brings some $75,000 each week into the Province for circulation. Under the stimulating influence of the development of these fisheries the town of New Westminster has shaken off her Rip Van Winkle drowse, thrown away her nightcap and is striding rapidly on to fame and fortune. In agriculture the progress that is being made is in the highest degree gratifying. The farming population has trebled in five years, the breadth of land under cultivation has increased tenfold. No one can take a drive anywhere in the country districts without being forcibly struck with the progress the farmers are making. Forests have been leveled, swamps drained, and lands cleared and cultivated to the very foot of and in some instances halfway up the hills. The advance has been slow; but the farmer has had to build houses, fences and stabling, and purchase implements, in addition to clearing his land. In every case where the means of Federata have been provided the advance is rapid and the profits satisfactory. The recent discoveries of gold at Cariboo have re-awakened the flagging interest in alluvial gold mining, and the efforts of the Government to place Cariboo on its feet once more by the encouragement of its quartz mining resources have revived the drooping spirits of the people of the District, and will probably result in inaugurating a new era of prosperity for the whole Province.

On every side we behold evidences of solid and enduring growth. The leaks through which so much of the wealth of the Province has escaped to enrich another land and foreign land, are being gradually stopped; new enterprises are started daily; new mines opened; fresh plans for the employment of industry formed. There is, in short, a train of causes and events which, combined with honest manly energy and skill and good Government, is infusing new life into every Provincial interest.

AN OHIO GHOST STORY.

Quaint Antics in a Staid Quaker Family's Pantry and Parlor.

MARTIN'S FERRY, Ohio, June 27, 1877.—A very curious phenomenon has just occurred in this community. The scene of action is about five miles in the country back of town, on a main road leading to Cadiz, at the house of Mr. William McComas, a wealthy farmer. The community around Mr. McComas are almost all Presbyterians, Quakers, and are not in the habit of reproducing sudden excitements, hence their reports, together with those of well-known citizens of the place and Wheeling, stamp it with truth.

About 9 o'clock Monday morning Mrs. McComas heard a noise in the pantry, and upon going in to learn the cause was surprised to see almost everything there falling from the shelves to the floor, and on replacing some cans of fruit, saw they would not stay but rolled about and fell to the floor. Being alarmed, she at once went and called the men from the fields where they were at work. On coming into the house they were struck with amazement with what was going on. The neighbors were sent for, many of whom came at once, and saw such sights as to throw the most advanced spiritualistic medium far in the shade. The cooking stove moved from one side of the room to the other. A large piano, weighing about eight hundred pounds, moved out from the wall half-way across the parlor. The clocks, stationary upon the mantles, fell upon their faces on the floor. They were replaced, and did not stop running, nor were they injured. A feather bed in one of the lower rooms raised itself high off the bedstead and rested on the floor, while a feather bed upstairs was carried from one room through another, down stairs, and rested on the floor. Pools filled with water were thrown off the floors. A sewing-machine was thrown almost across the room and turned up side down. Several large jars containing butters of different kinds, and weighing about forty pounds were turned upside down, and on being hastily filled by the almost frantic people, were placed in a tub, where they remained but a moment when they raised themselves out, emptying out their contents. A tea cannister, filled with tea, moved across the room in such a position as to empty itself and cover the floor with the tea as a farmer would cover the ground with grain; the drawers from the bureau would slowly move from their places out into the middle of the room; several large hams were repeatedly thrown from the hooks to the floor, books from the tables and book case were thrown all about the room, and, in fact, everything moveable was during the day thrown out of place. While the strange thing was transpiring the neighbors were flocking in, and passers-by were filling up the house. More than 100 saw the affair, and all speak of it as something unheard of before. A part of the things in the pantry had in the meantime been replaced by Mrs. McComas, and while yet there explaining to a party of neighbors, everything she had replaced came tumbling down upon their heads. A batch of eight newly-baked loaves of bread were torn into hundreds of pieces and cast about the room, several pieces of which were gathered up and sent to friends.

The phenomenon lasted all day Monday until night, was quiet throughout the night, but commenced action again early Tuesday morning, and ceased about noon. Hundreds of people have and are still visiting the scene of excitement. Hacks are coming from Bridgeport out to day. The question in our excited community is, What is it?

Dr. J. M. Todd, well known in Pittsburgh and Bridgeport, went out, and, "after a careful examination of all details and evidence," reports it as a mysterious and unaccountable truth.—*Correspondence Pittsburgh Commercial.*

Scott Disclaiming the Waverley Novels.

A curious letter from Sir Walter Scott, denying the authorship of the Waverley novels, is being exhibited in connection with the Caxton Exhibition in London. The letter there shown is a 'fac-simile' of the original, which is in the possession of Sir Charles Reed, and it is an undoubted autograph. Writing to the French translator of the novels Scott says:—

"SIR,—I am favored with your letter, which proceeds on an erroneous supposition that I am the author of the Waverley and the other novels and tales which you have translated into French; but this proceeds upon a mistake, though a very general one, I have no title whatsoever either to become a party to any arrangement in which the author or his works may be concerned, or to accept the very handsome compliment which you design for him.

"I am, sir,

"Your very obedient servant,

"WALTER SCOTT."

Edinburgh, 25th April, 1821.

The undersigned have much pleasure in announcing that they have secured the sole agency for the Province of the celebrated Centennial Prize Medal Organ, manufactured by W. Bell & Co., Guelph, Ontario. An extensive and varied assortment has just arrived, and intending purchasers are invited to call and examine.

M. W. WAITT & Co.

Smos. Government Street.

New Advertisements

VICTORIA CITY SCHOOLS.

THE ABOVE SCHOOLS WILL RE-OPEN on Monday next, 6th inst.

au1 By order of the TRUSTEES.

AUCTION SALE

The undersigned will sell at the Auction Rooms, Yates street, on

Saturday the 4th Inst.,

LADIES & GENTLEMEN'S

CLOTHING & UNDERCLOTHING

SOAPS, mottled and yellow,
YOUNGER'S ALE in quarts,
SINGLE & DOUBLE HARNESS,
A very handsome pair of Folding Doors and sundry other articles.

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WALNUTS! WALNUTS!!

W. R. Clarke & Co.

OFFER FOR SALE WALNUTS IN SACKS of 100 lbs. and upwards at

5 1-4 CENTS PER POUND.

Buyers can Examine before Purchasing.
Victoria, B.C., 13th July, 1877. jy14

JUNGERMANN & RUDOLPH,

GOVERNMENT STREET,

THE UNDERSIGNED IN RETURNING thanks to the public of British Columbia for past favors, continued through a long series of years, would respectfully notify that they have formed a co-partnership under the firm name of

Jungermann & Rudolph,

For the purpose of continuing and extending their business as

MANUFACTURING JEWELLERS
— AND —
Importers of Watches,

And all other articles connected with the trade

☞ Having a practical knowledge of every branch of the business, we respectfully solicit orders from all parts of the country, guaranteeing prompitude and satisfaction.

J. L. JUNGERMANN,
H. RUDOLPH.
Victoria B C., July 14, 1877. jy18dwlm

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CRACKER BAKERY,
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We Declare War Against the Foreign Occupation of the Victoria Market.

ON AND AFTER THIS DATE PRICES are Reduced as follows:

Saloon or Captain's Biscuit, $5 a Case.
Medium Quality Biscuit, $3 50 a Case.
Soda and Butter Biscuit, 8 cts. per lb.
Sugar Biscuit, 10 cts. per lb.

☞ All Orders filled at the above Rates.

S. NESBITT.
Victoria, July 16, 1877. jy17dwlm

Notice to Builders.

SEPARATE OR WHOLE TENDERS FOR the erection of a Dwellinghouse in Victoria City will be received at my office, where the plans and specifications may be seen till Tuesday 7th August next.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

THOS. TROUNCE, Architect.
Kane st., 28th July, 1877. jy29

NOTICE.

PARSONS BRIDGE HOTEL.

TEMPORARY LEAVE TO CARRY ON business, until application can be made for a License, has been given to Mrs. Calvert by two Justices of the Peace, and the Hotel has been re-opened.

J. ROLAND HETT,
Bastion st., Victoria, Solicitor for Mrs. Calvert.
28th July, 1877. jy29

FRESH MILK! FRESH MILK!
25 Cents per Gallon!

BENJAMIN EVANS,

OF CADBORO BAY, WILL DELIVER from the 1st of August next

Pure Milk from the Cow at 25 Cts. per Gallon.

Families purchasing the above article will be able to get cream enough from it to make their own butter and save money at the business.

ORDERS left at Mr. P. T. JOHNSTON'S, Bootmaker, Fort street, will be promptly attended to. jy21

British Columbian Investment and Loan Society.

NOTICE OF DIVIDEND.

SHAREHOLDERS ARE REQUESTED TO take notice that the interest for the six months ended 30th June, 1877, will be payable at the office of the Society, Bastion street, on Monday, 16th July and on succeeding Mondays from 10 to 1 o'clock.

By order of the Directors.

C. W. R. THOMSON,
jy13 Secretary and Treas.

Highest Cash Price

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Furs, Hides, Wool, Sheepskins, And Calfskins.

L. & J. BOSCOWITZ,

jy19 WHARF STREET.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the Estate of Robert Williams, late of the Hudson's Bay Company, are requested to send them to the undersigned.

DRAKE & JACKSON,
jy8 Solicitors for Executors.

Carriage for Hire.

W. G. BOWMAN'S CARRIAGE will be found from this date in front of his Livery Stable on Yates street.

July 11th, 1877. jy12

GO TO RYAN'S
PARADISE NURSERY

IF YOU WANT FINE ASTERS, STOCKS, Zinnias and Phlox Drummondii.

ALSO—Early and Late Broccoli, Purple Sprouting Broccoli, Cauliflowers, Scotch Kale, Brussels Sprouts an Cabbages of all sorts

AT REASONABLE CHARGES,

Humboldt St., near Park Road, Victoria.
jy5

Schooner "UNA," from Peru.

NEITHER CAPT. STODDARD NOR THE undersigned will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel.

DeWHIDERHOLD & CO.
Victoria B.C., July 28, 1877. jy31

Wanted.

Board and Lodging.

COMFORTABLE, WELL-FURNISHED ROOMS, with or without Board, in a private family, may be obtained on application to

MME. FITERRE,
jy31 Yate St., bet. Blanchard and Douglas.

Wanted.

A GIRL TO TAKE CHARGE OF A BABY. Apply to R. W. JANION,
jy21 Hy Rhodes & Co., Store St.

Wanted.

BY A MIDDLE-AGED WOMAN, LATELY arrived in the Province, a situation as Housekeeper or Nurse, fully qualified for the latter position. Apply by letter to Mrs. M. A. HODGE, Mrs. Williamson, Dressmaker, Fort st. jy17

Wanted

A DULY QUALIFIED TEACHER FOR Burrard Inlet Public School. Apply to Board of Trustees of Public School, Moodyville.

jy27 B. SPRINGER, Secretary.

Wanted.

A FIRST-CLASS COOK AT THE WELLington Boarding Hou e, Nanaimo. Apply by letter to the undersigned

jy27 JOHN BRANNAN, Proprietor.

Wanted

A DULY QUALIFIED TEACHER FOR Lake District. Apply to

G. H. WILSON BROWN, Victoria,
jy19 Secretary to Board of Trustees.

Wanted.

FOUR WOMEN TO WORK AT DRESSmaking and one to work a sewing machine; also, a button hole maker. Apply immediately to

None need apply except those wishing permanent employment.

MRS. WILLIAMSON,
jy3 1m Fort Street.

THE HUDSON BAY CO.'S STEAMER

OTTER,

CAPTAIN.....McCULLOCH

Will leave the H. B. Co's wharf for Fort Wrangel and way ports on

WEDNESDAY NEXT, AUGUST 1st,

The Purser must be furnished with an invoice of all goods for Cassiar, otherwise they will be detained at Wrangel.

For Particulars as to Freight and Passage, apply on board. jy26

WHY PAY 50 CTS. FOR A MEAL

When you can procure a

First-Class Breakfast, Dinner or Supper,

Made up of all the Delicacies of the Season, at

Miss Bates' Restaurant,

Next door to St. Nicholas Hotel, Government St.,

For Twenty-five Cents?

Cup of Tea, Coffee or Chocolate, with Rolls and Butter, for One Bit.

None but the best Beef, Mutton or other Meat placed on the Table.

The public are invited to call and see for themselves. MISS BATES,
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BEGS TO INTIMATE THAT SHE WILL continue the business of

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At her residence, brick building on Pandora Street, above Quadra.

Cutting and Fitting a Specialty.

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Victoria, July 28, 1877. jy29dw2m

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Have received and offer to the Trade

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PERFECTION SILVER BARS—Bright and Dark Navy. jy24 3m

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BEGS TO ANNOUNCE TO HIS NUMEROus friends and patrons that he will be happy to see them from this date. His BAR has been replenished with the

Best Brands of Wines and Spirits

The market can produce. The Hotel Department has been thoroughly overhauled, and is under experienced management. jy26 1w

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Gilt and Walnut Mouldings (assorted sizes) Pictures framed to order, Perambulators, Patent Window Blinds (something new).

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HOMESTEADS.

SEVERAL VERY DESIRABLE HOMEsteads for sale on Easy Terms.

ALSO, Vacant Lots in all parts of the city. Full Sized Town Lots $100 and upwards.

T. ALLSOP & CO.,
Real Estate Agents, Government St., Victoria.
jy29

Improved Farm for Sale.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS BEEN INSTRUCted to sell at private sale a Farm consisting of 160 Acres, with improvements, situated in the Comox District. For particulars apply to

W. R. CLARKE & CO.,
Victoria, 26th July. Auctioneers, Yates St. jy27

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The House and 2 Lots

Adjoining on Pandora street, running through to Johnson street, now in the occupation of the undersigned.

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MORTGAGES on first-class Real Estate.

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One Set Double Harness, Silver Mounted

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AN AMERICAN PARLOR ORGAN, WITH 7 Stops, Sweet Tone and in perfect condition, will be sold cheap for cash. May be seen at the

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A STORE ON THE GOVERNMENT ST. side of Theatre Royal building. Apply to

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FOR SALE,

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NOTICE.

THE FORESTERS PIC-NIC COMMITTEE hereby give notice that unless the Calendar Clock (694), and the Castor (1004) are called for within Fourteen Days the claim will be disallowed.

H. SOAR, Secretary.
July 27th, 1877. jy28

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WE ARE NOW PREPARED TO SUPPLY the Trade with the

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THE LADIES OF VICTORIA ARE INvited by the undersigned to inspect the Fluting and Plaiting Machine now in her possession. Samples of 40 different sorts of Plaiting done by this machine (the only one of the kind in Victoria) constantly on exhibition by the undersigned, who holds from the patentee the sole right for the sale of the machine in British Columbia.

Trimmings made to order in every style.

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The Grammar School

AT THE R. E. SUNDAY SCHOOL HOUSE will recommence Wednesday, August 1st.

jy31 J. F. SMITH, Master.

The Collegiate School

VICTORIA.

PRINCIPAL—The Rev. H. H. Moog, B. A., late Scholar of Pembroke College, Cambridge.

VICE-PRINCIPAL—Mr. F. G. WRIGHT, St. Mary's Hall, Oxford.

THE VENERABLE ARCHDEACON WRIGHT, M. A., of St. Peter's College, Cambridge, has kindly consented to instruct the Senior Classes two days in the week and to test the progress of the School by monthly examinations.

The School will re-open on Wednesday, 15th Aug.

TERMS $4 PER MONTH.

The course of instruction includes (besides the ordinary branches of Classics, Mathematics and English) Natural Science, Drawing and Modern Languages. jy7

EDUCATION.

CLASSES FOR YOUNG LADIES HAVE been commenced in the house situated on the corner of Kane and Quadra sts., by competent teachers, under the immediate supervision of the Rev. E. Cridge and Mrs. Cridge.

A class for boys under 8 years of age has also been formed. For particulars apply to

jn14 MRS. CRIDGE.

ANGELA COLLEGE,

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FOR THE EDUCATION OF YOUNG LAdies, Boarders and Day Pupils.

VISITOR—THE LORD BISHOP OF COLUMBIA.

LADY PRINCIPAL - - - - MISS PERCEVAL
ASSISTANT - - - - - MISS WRIGHT
MATRON & ASSISTANT TEACHER—MRS. C. WARD

The College Reopens Aug. 9th, 1877.

Application for admission to be made to

MISS PERCEVAL,
jy22 2m Angela College, Victoria.

YOUNG LADIES'

BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL,

FAIRFIELD TERRACE, TOP OF FORT ST.,

VICTORIA, B. C.

THIS SCHOOL, ESTABLISHED IN 1858, will re-open on Monday the 16th July, 1877 for the reception of Boarding and Day Scholars.

French included in the tuition.

jy10dwlm MADAME PETIBEAU, Principal.

NOTICE.

THE RE-OPENING OF THE REFORMed Episcopal Ladies' School is postponed to Monday, Aug. 13th. jy28

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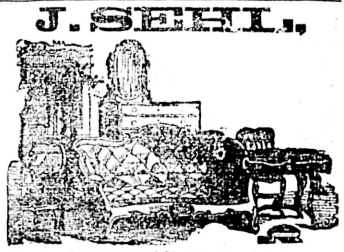

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NOTICE.

WHEREAS by the 65th Section of the "Coal Mines Regulation Act, 1877," it is enacted that the said Act should come into operation on and after the expiration of three months notice having been given of the assent of the Lieutenant-Governor thereto in the British Columbia Gazette, which said notice shall be given within one month from the Lieutenant-Governor's assent thereto.

Public notice is hereby given that the said Act was assented to by the Lieutenant-Governor of the Province on the 18th day of April last, and that the same will come into operation on and after the expiration of three months from this date.

Dated this 15th day of May, A.D. 1877.

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WEDNESDAY MORNING, AUG. 1st, 1877.

AUCTION SALES TO-DAY.

J. P. DAVIES & CO. will sell at 11 o'clock, at the residence of Mr. C. Thorne, Fort street, Superior Household Furniture, etc.

Telegraphic Dispatches.

The British Colonist is the only newspaper published in British Columbia that receives Telegraphic Dispatches. Its value as a news and advertising medium is therefore apparent.

City Police Court.

(Before H. C. Courtney, Esq.)

TUESDAY, July 31st, 1877.

Martin Hubart and George Rife, remanded from the 30th inst.

Constable Lindsay said he found the siver brooch produced on the person of Martin Hubart under his arm on his inside shirt; the other prisoner told him that he also stated to him last night that Hubart knew where the opera glasses and beaver skin were concealed, and that Hubart told him not to say anything about it, and that they would divide when they got out of gaol.

The Court committed both prisoners for trial in the case of feloniously entering the premises of L. Erb, and taking therefrom two bottles of Steinwein.

Martin Hubart was committed for trial for burglariously entering the premises of P. O'Reilly, and stealing several articles therefrom.

George Rife was discharged on the second charge.

The Indian War

The following letter was received by Mr. T. Ennor of this city from Mount Idaho, the scene of the Indian massacres:

MT. IDAHO, July 20, 1877.

FRIEND TOM:—We have had quite a serious time here, but it looks better now. Those killed were Henry Elfers, old man Baker, S. Benedict, Wm. Osborn, Harry Mason, Mrs. Manuel and child, Bob Bland, and quite a number of others whom you don't know. Jack Manuel was wounded, but is recovering. We are still fortified here. B.F. MORRIS.

RAILROAD STRIKE AT OLYMPIA.—The striking fever has reached Olympia, and the following is the account given by the *Courier*. "About 9 o'clock this morning the village of Tumwater was aroused by the gathering of a large concourse of men and boy's armed with every conceivable implement and evidently in a great state of excitement who in answer to the numerous questions of what's the matter? replied, 'Strike on railroad, come on.' The spirit of the past seemed to fire the veins; of all who heard; and by two's and three's the throng was swelled until from one hundred to one hundred and fifty men and boys moved along in one swarming mass to the point of attack. Soon the work of destruction began. Trees were toppled over, stumps were torn up, logs rolled together out of the way, and dirt flew from the willing picks, spades and shovels of the men and the great work on the Olympia and Tenio Railway was again commenced."

MRS. HENRY S. LAKE, of New York and California, is on board the Dakota and will deliver several lectures in this city shortly. Mrs. Lake is the widow of the late Rev. Henry S. Lake. Professedly inspired by his spirit, his wife has taken to the field which he desired to labor in. She is said to be a poetess, as well as a public speaker; as a speaker she is called pleasing, effective, eloquent and electrical.

THE steamer Cariboo-Fly left at 7 a. m. yesterday with the mails and the following passengers for Comox and way ports: Mrs. Bryden, Mrs. Spratt, Mrs. Mead, Miss Shurton, Mrs. McCulloch, Miss Piercy, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Gilbert, Mrs, C. Todd, and Messrs. Tye, Bryden, Jenkins, McLaughlin, Jackson, Copeland, Lutz, Beaumont and several others.

THE CHURCH CONTROVERSY is drawing to a close. Archdeacon Wright has fired his last volley and retired from the field. Space, since telegraphic communication is restored, is limited. We have a communication on hand from "Anon" which we shall try and squeeze into the columns tomorrow. The circular respecting the deposition of Bishop Cummins is too long; a synopsis should be furnished.

WEEKLY BRITISH COLONIST is now ready and may be had at the bookstores and the publication office. This week's issue is full to overflowing with reading matter. Very few advertisements are now admitted to our weekly edition; everything else must give way to news and interesting extracts.

THE steamer Enterprise left at 7:30 yesterday morning for the mainland with mails and the following passengers: Mrs. and Miss Jenkinson, Miss L. Blackley, Miss K. C. Burton, Mrs. Woods, Messrs. Calder, McColl, Kent, and 25 Chinamen for Messrs. English & Co's fishery.

THE Governor General and his suite have arrived in Ottawa on their return from the cruise in the gulf. Lord Dufferin, it is said, will, on his approaching visit to the North-West, go so far as Battleford, where he will hold a council with some of the Indian chiefs.

HOWE SOUND MINES.—A company is being formed in town to open and work the silver and copper lodes at Howe Sound. The local capital required will be about $20,000, most of which has been subscribed.

REAL ESTATE.—The sale of farm land at Lake District took place yesterday at J. P. Davies & Co's. auction rooms on Wharf street, 600 acres being sold for $4 per acre.

EAST SAANICH ROAD.—We are glad to understand that the Government are about to put this road, from Bryant's to the Prairie Tavern, in a thorough state of repair.

VICTORIA CITY SCHOOLS will re-open on Monday next.

Balance of Summer Stock at London House to be cleared at once.

Sandwich Islands.

By the arrival of H.M.S. Fantome from Honolulu, we have files of newspapers to 1st July. The King has issued a proclomation enjoining on his subjects neutrality in the war now raging in the East. Mr. Theo. H. Davies, British Vice-Consul will be acting Consul during the British Commissioner's absence in Great Britain. The *Gazette* says: "His Majesty's Envoy and Minister Plenipotentiary His Excellency H. A. P. Carter sailes to-day. He is accompanied by the British Commissioner and Consul General, Major J. H. Wodehouse, who will probably go on with him to London. Mr. Carter is charged with a number of responsible and important duties in connection with his mission to Europe, not the least of which is a measure for replenishing our waning population from overcrowded British India." It is understood that another object of the visit is to arrange a Reciprocity Treaty with Great Britain.

NAVAL.—H.M.S. Fantome, 4, Captain Maquay, 25 days from Honolulu, anchored in Esquimalt harbor yesterday morning. Captain Long, formerly in command of the Fantome, has been promoted and gone home. The Fantome had light winds and calms the greater part of the way. Following is the list of officers:

Commander—Thomas M. Maguay.
Lieutenants—Charles N. Robinson and Francis C. M. Noel.
Navigating Lieut.—Walter S. Chambie.
Staff Surgeon—George B. Beale, M.D.
Paymaster—Thomas Clayton.
Sub. Lieut,—John A. B. Milton.
Engineers—James Patterson, James McLaren.
Gunner—John Smith.
Carpenter—John A. King.

THE charge against Officer Sullivan for assault was heard yesterday by the Police Commissioners at the Council Chambers, and adjourned till to-day for judgment.

DEFECTIVE SIDEWALK. — The sidewalk on the north side of Pioneer street has been badly damaged by cows wandering over it.

COFFERDAM.—The time-limit for the completion of the cofferdam expired yesterday.

THE steamer Grappler left at 6 a. m. yesterday for New Westminister with about 12 passengers and 42 tons of freight.

THE steamer North Pacific left for the Sound ports yesterday at 10 a.m. with the mails and a few passengers.

THERE are 52 males and 11 females in the lunatic asylum at Steilacoom, Washington Territory.

Local Election in British Columbia.

[Toronto Globe.]

The Elliott Administration in British Columbia has recently sustained a reverse in the defeat of Mr. Davie, the member for Cariboo, who had accepted a seat in the Provincial Cabinet. Political distinctions are not very well marked in British Columbia, and in regard to local affairs they are even less easy to define than in relation to those of the Dominion. In the present instance the defeat of the new Minister was due, apparently, to purely local circumstances, just such as may be supposed to have a good deal of weight with a certain class of the population if they do not strike outsiders as potential or sufficient.

It seems that the repair of the waggon-road to Cariboo has been undertaken by the present Government. The road is now stated to be in splendid condition, while the saving in the cost of transport resulting from the improvements is very large indeed to the miners and others dependent upon it for supplies.

Mining property is exempt from taxation, but the Cariboo miners are not, it seems, content without their roads are kept in order at the cost of the rest of the community. When Mr. Elliott took office he had to face some very serious financial difficulties and a large deficit, while at the same time the call for improvements in various directions was most urgent. The expense of repairing the Cariboo road was met by the reimposition of the toll of one cent. per pound on goods passing over it. This was violently opposed by Mr. Walkem, the late Premier and now Opposition leader, and Mr. Davie, with some other members, voted against the measure, but Mr. Davie was now obliged to tell the electors that the public opinion of the country would inevitably resist its repeal. His opponent, Mr. Cowan, on the other hand, used the "abolition of tolls" cry so effectively that he secured his return by a majority of 58 out of a poll of 304 votes.

A LONDON LORD MAYOR'S WINES.—It is interesting to know what sort of wines a London Lord Mayor lives on. An auction was held the other day of 170 dozens of wine belonging to Ex-Lord Mayor Stone, at the Mansion House. If the wines were genuine, as they probably were, the prices will make American amateurs sigh for the millennium of free trade. The best were as follows: Hocks—Rauenthaler (Mr. Tilden's favorite vintage). 1865, 65s per dozen; Gluck Ausles, 79s per dozen; Stemberger Cabinet, 63s; Castle Johannisberg, vintage 1869, Prince Meternich's, from 85s to 106s per dozen; Chablis, 36s; Stein Wein, 1868, 68s. Champaignes—(Gieslers) vintage 1868, from 76 to 81s per dozen. Another cellar was also sold, and the prices were: Stein-Wein (Hock), vintage 1861, 71s per dozen; sherry, thirteen years in bottle, 71s to 75s per dozer. Ports—Vintage 1851, bottled 1854, 95s per dozen; vintage 1842, 86s to 90s per dozen; 1820, port, 116s per dozen. Clarets—Chateau Lafitte, 1864, 102s per dozen; Lanchon Longueville, 1861, 81s per dozen.

PIANOFORTES.—A few choice instruments by Chappell & Co. for sale very cheap for cash; or will be rented on moderate terms, the Pianofortes to become the hirer's own property after payment of a stipulated number of months' rent. The "Chappell" Pianofortes are unequalled for fine finish, elasticity of touch and brilliancy of tone, and possess in a marked degree the quality "durability." Opportunity is now afforded parties requiring Pianofortes to obtain first-class instruments on most favorable terms. Also, for sale cheap one Alexandre Harmonium, seven stops.

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Morning Dispatch.

EUROPE.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 27.—An old merchant ship, the Vesta, has had an engagement off Kustenji, lasting over five hours with a Turkish monitor, which was much damaged by Russian shells, one of which burst in her turret. The Vesta had her rudder injured and went to Sebastopol for repairs. The officers and nine sailors were killed, and six officers, among them her commander, and seventeen sailors wounded. One of the officers has since died.

SHUMLA, July 27.—The second Russian army corps has invested Silistria.

ADRIANOPLE, July 27.—12,000 Russians are at Osman Bazar; Russians also occupy Kasan at the foot of the northern slope of the Balkans. Fighting has been going on since Thursday between Russians and the forces of Raouf Pasha near Eski Saghra, south of the Balkans.

LONDON, July 27. -1,256 British troops sailed for Malta to-day.

LONDON, July 27.—Sergeant Vanton, of Scotland Yard, a detective, absconded yesterday. To-day it transpired that he was involved in a pending conspiracy case against Palmer, Mickhjohn and Druscowich, inspectors in the same force. William Durr yesterday testified elaborately as to his relations with the detectives. The cause promises to be long and interesting.

LONDON, July 27.—To check obstructionists in the House of Commons, Sir Stafford Northcote proposes, first, that when members after being declared twice out of order shall be pronounced by the Chairman or Speaker as disregarding the authority of the chair, debate shall be suspended forthwith, and on motion that he be not heard during the remainder of the debate or sitting of the committee, such motion, after explanation of the members, shall be put without further debate; second, that in committee of the whole, no member shall have the power to move more than once during the debate on the same question, either that the Chairman report the progress, or that the Chairman leave the chair, nor to speak more than once on such motion, and no member who has made one of these motions shall have the power to make the other on the same question. The resolutions were passed by an almost unanimous vote.

LONDON, July 28,—The Russians have destroyed six railroad bridges between Jamesoli and Philippolis.

The rolling stock has been sent to Constantinople.

Foreign consuls at Adrianople have delivered a note to the governor requesting him to take measures to guarantee the public safety. The Italian consul has advised his compatriots to leave.

The Greek consul at Bargas and French and Italian consuls at Gallipoli have telegraphed to their embassies at Constantinople for men-of-war owing to the excited state of the Moslem population.

BUCHAREST, July 30.—General Manu, Roumanian commander at Nikopolis, received instructions from the Russian headquarters to co-operate in certain necessitous cases with the Russians and even, if requisite, to take an active share of the fighting.

PARIS, July 30.—*Londres*, official journal of Bonapartists, publishes a letter signed by Rouher and others repudiating Cassagnac's militant policy and proclaiming their adherence to MacMahon. The population of Muthnuse, Alsace, has subscribed a million.

EASTERN STATES.

INDIANAPOLIS, July 28.—Wm. N. Sayers, Secretary and Treasurer of the Firemen's League of the United States and Canada, and John Buckley, one of the leading strikers, were arrested to-night by the U. S. Marshal and were taken to the arsenal.

A late report from Johnstown, Pa., says a fight occurred yesterday between troops and strikers and 7 persons were killed.

WASHINGTON, N. J., July 28.—There was a fresh outbreak to-day among the employees of Delaware and Lackawana R. R. Strikers say it was caused by the company sending bogus messages to the engineers despatched to Hoboken that all was settled and they should resume work. Strikers will do nothing to forward the business of the road until they receive reliable orders from their committeemen.

GALESBURG, Ill, June 30.—All the trains went east from here to-day; but others could not get crews, and men refuse to work until their pay is raised.

COLUMBUS, June 30th, 10 p. m.—The strikers have complete control over the C. C. and J. C. yards. They appointed a yard master of their own and prevented all freight trains leaving. When the 3:30 mail and passenger train was about to leave, the strikers told the conductor to step down as they had a man of their own to take a train out. When superintendent Miller discovered this he ordered discontinuance of train and sent the mail coach around by way of Xenia. Strikers made up freight trains and furnished crews to take them out, but abandoned the enterprise. Soldiers who were here Saturday left yesterday, and as there was no military or police about the strikers had everything their own way.

Evening Dispatch.

EUROPE.

LONDON, July 28.—The embarkation at Portsmouth of troops for Malta yesterday, evoked a good deal of enthusiasm and was in marked contrast with the departure of the Euphrates on the preceding day which passed almost unnoticed. One of the papers remarks that a cry of three cheers for the Turks, uttered by some one on the wharf, were responded to with great spirit from the departing troops. Some person unknown also took aboard a large number of violent anti-crusade pamphlets and gave them to the sergeants for distribution among the troops.

WASHINGTON, July 28.—Aristarchi Bey, Turkish minister, says from an official dispatch that during the engagement at Tcharitchara, Asia, the Russian troops directed their firing upon the hospital though a neutral flag was floating over it. The wounded in the building, many of whom were unable to escape, were killed.

Russian troops on the 27th entered the villages of Keston and Belovarzy, disarmed the Musselmen and distributed their arms among the Bulgarians; then massacred the men, women and children, and burned their dwellings.

Midnight Dispatch.

THE RUSSIANS GAINING GROUND AT PLEVNA

Complete Rout of the Turks near Rustchuk.

They Lose Many Guns and Prisoners.

BUCHAREST, July 30—It is reported that the Russians again attacked Plevna and fighting continued throughout Saturday and Sunday. According to latest reports the Russians were gaining ground.

CONSTANTINOPLE, July 30—Great numbers of European residents are leaving.

MADRID, July 30 — Arrangements are being made with the projectors of the last Cuban loan for an advance of twenty-five millions for the expenses of the next campaign. The balance will be guaranteed by the Colonial Customs.

BUCHAREST, July 30—A dispatch from Sistova states that an important engagement was fought on Sunday near Rustchuk between the Czarowitch and Ahmed Ezoub Pasha. The Turkish corps are reported defeated with the loss of 30 guns, 10 standards and 5000 prisoners.

Later official dispatches confirm the foregoing. The number of Turkish prisoners is now given at 8000.

Ahmed Ezoub's army is stated to be completely routed. The Russians will probably at once resume the offensive and follow up their advantage.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 30—Arrived, bark Alden Besse, Nanaimo; schooner Compeer, Port Madison.

English Mail.

A shocking accident has occurred at Betley road railway station, near Crewe. The mail from the north had reached this spot, when the occupants of a composite carriage were startled by the body of the carriage being literally torn to pieces by iron bars running into it. The train was pulled up as soon as possible and the carriage was detached, when it was ascertained to have four occupants, one of whom was Mrs. Crofts, Carlton Green, Lancaster. She lay dead with her head and skull torn completely away from the body. Her husband who sat at her side, declared that after being struck she died immediately. The officials found that though the husband and son of the deceased were covered with debris, blood, and brains, yet they were totally uninjured; as was also a commercial traveller named Fitzgerald from London, and a solicitor proceeding to the Court of Chancery. As far as is known, the accident occurred in this wise. A luggage train was proceeding towards Crewe, one of the trucks of which was laden with bars of iron, some of which got loose, and, being laid transversely over the side of the waggon when the mail dashed up, tore in shreds one part of the carriage, killing Mrs. Crofts instantaneously.

A public meeting convened by the Church League, has been held at the Freemasons Tavern; the Rev. A. H. Mackonochie in the chair. Amongst the speakers were Archdeacon Denison, the Rev. M. M. Ben Oliel, and Mr. J. C. Cox, of Belper. A resolution in favor of disestablishment was carried by a large majority, several amendments in a contrary sense having been negatived.

Says Vanity Fair, the real cause of the Grand Duke's disagreeable behavior to Colonel Wellesley is this:—"Colonel Wellesley wrote home a confidential report on the Russian army, which contained some very disparaging statements with regard to it. These statements, were, of course, intended solely for the private information of the English Government, but, unfortunately, some persons who should have held their tongues talked a little too freely of the disparaging passages This came to the ears of the Russian agents in England, and was reported home. Hence the animosity which has been displayed towards Colonel Wellesley, who has been instructed to receive the insult, and outlive it, and has apparently been willing to do so.

After a keen contest the Conservative candidate, Lord Mandeville, son of the Duke of Manchester, has been elected for the county.

Sir Charles Adderley's third son, Arthur, was drowned in the Falls of Bruar, near Blair Athol, on Sunday, July 1st. He was reading at Pittlochrie with his brother Reginald and Mr. Fairley, their tutor, during the commencement of the long vacation from Christ church, Oxford. They were looking at the view from the head of the falls. Arthur Adderley had gone to a spot by himself and slipped in, and was carried away into the torrent beneath. Mr. Fairley, hearing the splash and seeing him in the water, ran down to the lower dam, to stop the body in its descent, but in vain. The falling water kept the body under, and it was not found for many hours after. When found it was not at all mutilated, but the neck was broken, which it is supposed caused instant death at the first collision.

One of the most destructive fires ever known in Bradford is reported in the Yorkshire papers. The premises destroyed were among the finest in that thriving borough, and included the warehouses of Messrs. Semon & Co., Stuff merchants; Mr. Steinthal, yarn and cloth merchant; Mr. Eagle, printer and stationer; and Messrs. Oddy & Co., cloth merchants. The damage is about £100,000. Mr. C. Semon has been mayor of Bradford, is a very charitable gentleman, and is much respected.

Mr. Bradlaugh since his trial has addressed a crowded meeting of his supporters at Northampton. He expressed himself confident of reversing the decision of the Lord Chief Justice, and said if he did not succeed in this he would, as soon as he came out of prison, continue to circulate the pamphlet until it was not allowed to be sold. The following resolution was carried almost unanimously:—"That, hearing the statement of Mr. Bradlaugh, this meeting expresses its thorough confidence in him as one of the candidates for the future representation of this borough."

A Liverpool captain has been fined £145 for bringing about 1200 Irish reapers and haymakers to England in a vessel only licensed for 350. The poor captain pleaded "circumstances over which he had no control," as the Irish contingent took his vessel by storm and would not be denied. That, at any rate, is his version of the affair.

In consequence of the prevalence of fever in the Russian army operating on the Danube, "Quinine Committes" have been formed in several Russian towns. One of these, installed at Kieff, sent 81,000 doses of quinine solution a short time ago, and is making arrangements to send further supplies as necessary.

The Southwark Police Magistrate has sentenced several boys to terms of imprisonment for Sunday gambling.

It is believed that the Colorado beetles have been extirpated in the field in which they were discovered near Cologne.

A great fire has occurred at the Philadelphia Steam Corn Mills, Sheffield, owned by Mr. Rodgers, and as the building, which was four stories in height, was old and dry, it was thoroughly gutted in two hours, despite the strenuous exertions of the fire brigade with steam and manual engines. The damage is heavy.

Here is an interesting fact for naturalists. One of the South American boas in the reptile house at the Zoological Society's Gardens, has just produced 20 young ones, all alive and strong. The young boas are from 15 to 18 inches in length. They have not yet fed, but bite freely enough if anything is placed near them.

The *School Board Chronicle* hears from Stockport of the first case of a child earning the right to an "honor certificate" under Lord Sanson's Act. He is under 11 years of age, has passed the fourth standard, and has made 350 attendances per year in the last two years. He is, therefore, entitled to three years' schooling, for which the fees will be paid by the Education Department.

An editor philosophically noticing the marriage of one of his contemporaries, remarks of the bride: "She will do the State a service if she makes him a better and more truthful man."

Messrs. Turquand & Co., accountants, certify that the average circulation of the *Telegraph* from the 1st of May to the 30th of June was 242,215 a day, or 12,837,400 altogether.

St. Paul's school is going to follow the example of Charterhouse and remove into the country. It does not yet appear what will become of the buildings and site in St Paul's Churchyard. The latter must be of enormous value.

A certain number of foreign officers will be admitted to study at the Royal College at Greenwich, and the first to avail themselves of the privilege will be three cadets of the Chinese navy.

Mr. Mechi states that, owing to his advanced age (over 75), the Tiptree annual gatherings will be discontinued, but he hopes that his brother agriculturalists will inspect his crops before and during harvest.

In the House of Commons, in answer to The O'Donoghue, Sir M. Hicks-Beach said:—I fear it is possible that the Colorado beetle may reach Ireland, though I think the hon. member goes too far in assuming that it is more than probable that such will be the case. However I quite agree with him as to the serious consequences that would result from any extensive ravages of this insect in Ireland, and I will, after communication with the authorities in Great Britain, see how far his suggestion can be acted upon.

A MECHANICAL HORSE.—The Geneva 'Continent' says:—"An ingenious gentleman of Berlin, Herr Frederich Getzsch, has invented a horse. The animal is made of iron, and the motive power, instead of being its own legs, is derived from the legs of the rider. The iron horse, as the Berlin papers call him, showed off his paces the other day in the garden of Hagen's Summer Theatre, in the presence of the leading mechanicians and journalists of the German capital. The concern is described as consisting of a couple of wheels, two meters high; between these 'finds itself' the horse, upon which mounts the rider. The latter moves his legs 'after the English fashion of riding,' (this means, we presume, that he rises and falls in his saddle) and the thing goes along as fast as a quick trotting horse. The road makes no difference—it is all the same whether the machine goes gently over the stones or moves swiftly on the hard high road—and the facility with which the strange steed turned round corners excited admiration of all beholders. Herr Netzsch believes that his invention will be of great use to porters and others for the carrying of light loads, and he has confident hopes that it will be highly appreciated by the numerous classes who are fond of saddle exercise but are destitute of the wherewith to buy and maintain horses of flesh and blood; he contemplates, too, its application to the drawing of cabs and other carriages. It is even conceivable that in this invention we have the charger of the future. An animal that does not eat and cannot die would be of intestimable value in warfare. We are not told how a man of [illegible] blood is expected to support the [illegible] of moving, by rising in his stirrup[illegible] creature of iron, or if it be possible to keep it going in any place less flat than Berlin, a city which, as everybody knows, is as level as a billiard-table.

A WONDERFUL DISCOVERY.—The highest cash price will be paid for Ladies', Gentlemen's and Children's wearing apparel at Haggerty's Store on Dufferin street. Parties desirous of discontinuing housekeeping can meet a cash buyer for all household effects by applying at the above address.

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Handsome and Well-kept Furniture, Valuable Pictures, &c,

Due notice of sale will be given.

W. R. CLARKE & CO.,
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REAL ESTATE SALE

The undersigned has been instructed to sell by Public Auction on

August the 10th,

At 12 o'clock noon, on the premises.

That splendid property known as the Half-Way House, situated on the Esquimalt Road, comprising 2 acres of arable land well fenced, with three wells of the finest water on the premises. The Building is substantially built of Brick, with all necessary Outbuildings, &c. A first-class Brewery is attached with every article for Brewing; the Boiler has a capacity of 200 gallons at a Brewing. There is also a capital Skittle or Bowling Alley on the premises.

Satisfactory reasons will be given by the present owner or the undersigned for selling this very lucrative business.

The Title is from the Puget Sound Company, clear and undoubted.

Terms of Sale at Auction.

Parties wishing to view the premises can do so by application on the premises, or to the undersigned at any hour after 10 in the morning.

W. R. CLARKE & CO.,
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Victoria, B. C., July 10th, 1877. jy10

CARRIAGE —AND— WAGON FACTORY,

JOHNSON STREET.

Between Government and Broad Sts.

WILLIAM GRIMM,

(Successor to Simeon Duck)

HAVING PURCHASED THE STOCK, Tools and Goodwill of the above well-known firm, I would respectfully announce to the citizens of Victoria and the public generally that the business will be continued in all its various branches. By using the latest and

Most Approved Machinery,

And having other facilities unequalled on the Pacific Slope, I am prepared to manufacture all kinds of

CARRIAGES, CARTS, WAGONS,

And other vehicles of superior quality and at MODERATE RATES.

Horseshoeing, Repairing and Jobbing of all kinds done with neatness and dispatch.

A share of public patronage respectfully solicited.

WILLIAM GRIMM.

Victoria, July 2, 1877.

I WOULD RESPECTFULLY CALL ATtention to the above advertisement, and solicit for my successor a continuation of the patronage so liberally bestowed upon me during the past eighteen years. Mr. Grimm is a practical workman, and from his past experience in the business here is well acquainted with the requirements of the trade, and therefore fully competent to execut all kinds of work in a satisfactory manner. I confidently recommend him to the public, feeling certain that his efforts to please will not fail.

SIMEON DUCK.

Victoria, July 2, 1877. jy3dwlm

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT I INtend to apply on the 23d July inst., to the Bench of Licensing Magistrates for a Retail Liquor License for premises situate at the corner of Store and Discovery streets, and named the "Cariboo House."

P. MANETTA.

Victoria, July 6th, 1877. jy7

Educational.

The Collegiate School
VICTORIA.

PRINCIPAL—The Rev. H. H. Mogg, B. A., late Scholar of Pembroke College, Cambridge.
VICE-PRINCIPAL—Mr. F. G. Wright, St. Mary's Hall, Oxford.

THE VENERABLE ARCHDEACON WRIGHT, M. A., of St. Peter's College, Cambridge, has kindly consented to instruct the Senior Classes two days in the week and to test the progress of the School by monthly examinations.
The School will re-open on Wednesday, 15th Aug.
TERMS $4 PER MONTH.

The course of instruction includes (besides the ordinary branches of Classics, Mathematics and English) Natural Science, Drawing and Modern Languages. jy7

EDUCATION.

CLASSES FOR YOUNG LADIES HAVE been commenced in the house situated on the corner of Kane and Quadra sts., by competent teachers, under the immediate supervision of the Rev. E. Cridge and Mrs. Cridge.
A class for boys under 8 years of age has also been formed. For particulars apply to
ja14 MRS. CRIDGE.

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FOR THE EDUCATION OF YOUNG LADIES, Boarders and Day Pupils.

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ASSISTANT - - - - - - MISS WRIGHT
MATR N & ASSISTANT TEACHER—MRS. C. WARD

The College Reopens Aug. 9th, 1877.

Application for admission to be made to
MISS PERCEVAL,
jy22 2m Angela College, Victoria.

YOUNG LADIES'
BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL,
FAIRFIELD TERRACE, TOP OF FORT ST.,
VICTORIA, B. C.

THIS SCHOOL, ESTABLISHED IN 1858, will re-open on Monday the 16th July, 1877 for the reception of Boarding and Day Scholars.
French included in the tuition.
jy10dw1m MADAME PETIBEAU, Principal.

NOTICE.

THE RE-OPENING OF THE REFORMed Episcopal Ladies' School is postponed to Monday, Aug. 13th. jy28

"QUARTZ ACT, 1877."

THE SUM OF FIFTEEN THOUSAND Dollars will be paid by the Government of British Columbia to "The Company which first erects, at some place north of the Quesnelle River within the Electoral District of Cariboo and in the neighborhood of some well defined Quartz Ledge, a good and sufficient Ten Stamp Quartz Mill capable of crushing ten tons of Quartz per diem, to the satisfaction of the Lieutenant-Governor in Council," in accordance with the provisions of the "Quartz Act, 1877.'"

By Order,
T ELWYN,
Deputy Minister of Mines.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
31st May, 1877. je1

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IMPROVED STOCK.

THE SUBSCRIBER HAVING IMported the celebrated Stallion

"JOHN DUNCAN"

Begs to inform the public that he is prepared to

Serve Mares for the Season at $25.

Should the mare not prove with foal she will be entitled to be served again next season without charge.

"John Duncan" is the finest Stallion ever imported into British Columbia. His pedigree will be found in the following card, which shows that he descended in an unbroken line from the most distinguished ancestry. In his races this stallion was always entered by the name of "Mac," but his real name is John Duncan after the gentleman who raised him. He can be seen n any hour at the stables of the undersigned. J. S. Bowker, Oak Bay.

PEDIGREE.

Mc. was foaled on the 16th May, 1867, sired by Sawyer's Colt, he by Stockbridge Chief, he by Vermont-Black-Hawk. Stockbridge Chief's dam by Sir Charles, he by Murdock Messenger, he by Diomed, son of Duroc, his dam by Messenger, he by imported Messenger, he by Mambrino, his dam by Turf, granddam by Regulus, he by Starling, he by Fox. Dam of the Sawyer Colt was San Jose Damsel by Easton's David Hill, he by Vermont-Black-Hawk, her dam the dam of Dashaway, the celebrated two mile horse. Mc's dam was by General Taylor, out of a thorough mare imported to the State from Missouri by—Haskell, Esq. General Taylor by the famous Morse Horse, he by imported Norman, (from France.) Dam of Morse Horse by Ogden's Messenger, he by imported Messenger, his dam Katy Fisher by imported Highflier, gran-dam of Jersey-Eclipse.—Copied from Wallaces Trotting Register. my18dw3m.

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ALSO—Early and Late Broccoli, Purple Sprouting Broccoli, Cauliflowers, Scotch Kale, Brussels Sprouts an Cabbages of all sorts

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Humboldt St., near Park Road, Victoria.
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New Advertisements.

POST OFFICE NOTICE.
Arrival and Closing of Mails at Victoria.

Summer Arrangements from 1st April to 30th September, 1877.

MAILS.	ARRIVE.	CLOSE.
Canada, Great Britain Europe, and U. S., via San Francisco	About the 5d, 13th, and 23d of each Month	On the 10th, 20th, & 30th of each month, at 10 A.M.
Do. via Tacoma.....	Monday and Thursday 3 P.M	Tuesday at 9.30 A.M. and Thursday at 6 P.M.
Australia, New Zealand, Sandwich Islands and Fiji Islands.	Irregular dates of arrival...	In time to connect with mail steamer leaving San Francisco every 4th Saturday from Ap'l 25.
China and Japan	Irregular dates of arrival...	In time to connect with mail steamer leaving San Francisco on 1st of each month.
Mexico, Central America, and South Pacific coast.	Irregular dates of arrival...	On the 10th 20th & 30th of each month at 10 A.M.
New Westminster & Burrard Inlet.	Wednesday and Saturday at 3 P.M.	Monday and Thursday at 6 P.M.
Barkerville, and Intermediate offices.	Saturday 3 P.M.....	Thursday at 6 P.M.
Nanaimo and intermediate offices.	Thursday at 5 P.M.....	Monday at 6 P.M.
Comox and intermediate offices.	Every alternate Friday at 5 P.M.	Every alternate Monday at 6 P.M.
Esquimalt.....	Daily at 10 A.M. and 2 P.M.	Daily, at 11:30 A.M. and 4:30 P.M.
Metchosin.....	Monday, 1 P.M.....	Tuesday, 12 Noon.
Saanich.....	Wednesday, 9 A.M.....	Wednesday, 12 M.
Sooke.....	Monday, 3 P.M.....	Tuesday, 9 A.M.

Letters for Registration must be posted half an hour before closing of each mail.

MONEY ORDERS

Payable at Money Order Offices throughout the Dominion, Great Britain and Ireland, Newfoundland, and the United States, and at the offices at Barkerville, Clinton, Nanaimo, New Westminster and Yale, in this Province, can be obtained at this office.

OFFICE HOURS—From 9 A. M. to 6 P. M.
FOR MONEY ORDERS—From 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; on Saturdays from 9 A.M. to 12 noon

R. WALLACE, Post Office Inspector.
POST OFFICE, VICTORIA, 1st April, 1876. my5

NEW GOODS

HENRY SHORT,
Gun & Rifle Maker,
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Has received from London direct, a Large Assortment of

DOUBLE AND SINGLE BARRELLED GUNS,
Central Fire Breech-Loaders,
FISHING TACKLE IN GREAT VARIETY,

Pocket and Sporting Cutlery, Powder Flasks, Shot Pouches, Game Bags, Cartridge Belts, Apparatus for Filling Cartridges for Breech-loaders and a full assortment of Gun Tackle.

GUNS MADE TO ORDER. REPAIRING NEATLY EXECUTED
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Notices.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
29th June, 1877.

HIS EXCELLENCY the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to appoint WILLIAM BOWDEN, Esq., to be Superintendent of Police for the Province of British Columbia. jy1

NOTICE.

In the Goods of William Patrick Farron, Deceased.

ALL PERSONS WHO ARE INDEBTED to, or have claims against the Estate of the late William Patrick Farron, deceased, are notified to settle or send in their accounts to the undersigned on or before the First day of August next.
Dated 1st July, 1877.
A. ROCKE ROBERTSON,
jy1 Langley st., Victoria, Executrix Soli tor.

Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1876.

Victoria City and Esquimalt Electoral Districts.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of sub-section f of Section 7 of the "Qualification and registration of Voters Act, 1876," I shall, on Monday the 6th of August next, hold a Court of Revision, for the purpose of hearing and determining any or all objections against the retention of any names on the Register of Voters.
Such Court will be open at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Court House, Bastion street, Victoria.
J. C. PREVOST, Collector.
30th May, 1877. je1

"Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1876."

LILLOOET ELECTORAL DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that in pursuance of sub-section f of Section 7 of the "Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1876," I shall, on Monday the 6th August next, hold a Court of Revision for the purpose of hearing and determining any or all objections against the retention of any name on the Register of Voters.
Such Court will be opened at 12 o clock, noon, at the Court House, Lillooet.
A. W. SMITH Collecto
Lillooet, B.C., May, 1877. my29

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Comex Electoral District.

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R. H. PIDCOCK, Collector.
1st June, 1877. je3

Assessment Act, 1876.

NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Tax under the provisions of the "Assessment Act, 1876," is past due, and all parties whose taxes are unpaid are hereby required to call at the Collector's Office, Columbia street, and pay the same forthwith, otherwise the amounts so due will be collected with costs.
J. C. HUGHES,
my24tjel Collector.

CASSIAR EXPRESS

WILL LEAVE FOR THE VARIOUS Creeks in Cassiar by every steamer for Fort Wrangel. Packages and Letters left with Wells, Fargo & Co. will be forwarded. Treasure shipped to Victoria and San Francisco.
J. JOHNSTON,
fe25 Agent for the BRITISH COLONIST.

Notice.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT I SHALL at the next sitting of the Court apply for a transfer of my License to sell Wines and Liquors by retail, at the Caledonia Saloon, Victoria, to George Collins.
Dated at Victoria, this third day of July, A.D. 1877.
jy4 RICHARD McCUE.

PLAITING & FLUTING MACHINES
FOR SALE.

DRESSMAKING, ETC.

THE LADIES OF VICTORIA ARE INvited by the undersigned to inspect the Fluting and Plaiting Machine now in her possession. Samples of 40 different sorts of Plaiting done by this machine (the only one of the kind in Victoria) constantly on exhibition by the undersigned, who holds from the patentee the sole right for the sale of the machine in British Columbia.

Trimmings made to order in every style.

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PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS CAREfully prepared for Public Buildings or Private Residences, and the usual business of an Architect promptly executed. ja6 3m

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Goods delivered to any part of the city

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Thanking his friends and the Public generally for the liberal support he has heretofore been favored with, would most respectfully solicit a continuance of the same.

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Toys, Baskets, Musical Instruments, Birdcages,
ALBUMS, FEATHER DUSTERS, BREAD BASKETS, PICTURE FRAMES

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Stationery, Perfumery,

COMBS, BRUSHES, JEWELLERY, CUTLERY & CHILDREN'S CARRIAGES ALWAYS ON HAND.

All Favors Respectfully Solicited by
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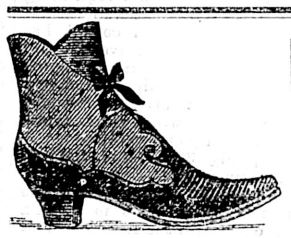

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my10 And Washington Territory.

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Ld. Lowenberg,
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WE TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY OF informing the trade that we have been appointed agents for Henry H. Shufelett & Co., Proprietors of the

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Wines, Liquors and Cigars, Good Beds and Meals,

To be had at the GLOBE INN.
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Breakfasts, Dinners and Suppers

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CORNER YATES AND WHARF STS.

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Victoria, B. C.

Andrew Astrico, - - Proprietor

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None but the very best (directly imported) Wine Liquors and Cigars will be dispensed.
de14 L. S. LUCAS, Props.

ANGEL HOTEL,
Langley St, Victoria, B. C.,
FRED. CARNE, - - - - Proprietor

RATES OF CHARGES:

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Single Meals.....	33⅓
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ap30 3m GUS. KOLP

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jy14 MRS. ANNIE WALKER.

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CROCKERY,
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jo11 W. HEATHORN.

NOTICE.

A COURT OF GENERAL ASSIZE AND Gaol Delivery and of Nisi Prius will be held at Laketon, Cassiar, on or about Friday the 17th day August, 1877, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.
Dated 11th day of July, 1877.
By Command,
T. ELWYN,
jy15 Acting Deputy Provincial Secretary.

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